New equipment for fire fighting, non-lethal weapons and other riot control equipment are acquired as per the requirement of the force. The force personnel are imparted specialized training in the methods of riot control, rescue and relief, first aid and observance of human rights.

Violence and crimes against women

*123. SHRIMATI VANGA GEETHA:
SHRI RAVULA CHANDRA SEKAR REDDY:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state the legislative, measures taken to curb domestic violence and crimes against women particularly in the light of demands of national women's organisations? .

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MANIK RAO GAVIT): The crimes against women including domestic violence are already covered under the existing laws. Crimes such as rape, kidnapping and abduction, dowry deaths or their attempts, torture (both mental and physical), molestation, insulting the modesty of a woman etc. are covered under the various sections of the Indian Penal Code. In addition, there are special laws to deal with crimes such as the Dowry Prohibition Act, 1951, the Immoral Traffic (Prevention) Act, 1956, Commission of Sati (Prevention) Act, 1987 and Indecent Representation of Women (Prohibition) Act, 1986. The strengthening of the existing legislations through review and amendments is a continuous process and taken up whenever required. The views of women's organizations are also taken into account appropriately in the process.

Arrest of Delhi Police officials

*124. SHRI AMAR SINGH: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of Delhi Police officials arrested during the last four months;

(b) the nature of offence for which they have been arrested;

(c) whether it is also a fact that one of the officers of the rank of ACP has also been arrested for land grabbing; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI S. REGHUPATHY): (a) and (b) During the last four months from 1st March, 2004 to 30th June, 2004, 37 Delhi Police personnel were arrested in connection with the offences as indicated below:

Sl. No.	Nature of offence	No. of police personnel arrested
1.	Corruption	19
2.	Murder	03
3.	Attempt to murder	01
4.	Molestation	01
5.	Extortion	02
6.	Simple hurt	01
7.	Causing harassment for dowry	02
8.	Causing injury due to rash and negligent driving	02
9.	Theft	01
10.	Receiving stolen property, cheating and forgery	01
11.	Cheating and forgery	02
12.	Causing death due to rash and negligent driving	01
13.	Arson	01

(c) and (d) On the basis of a complaint, a case FIR No. 190/02 was registered u/s 420/467/468/471/120-B IPC at Police Station, New Friends Colony on 16th April, 2002. Investigation conducted into the case revealed that an Assistant Commissioner of Police was involved in clandestine transfer and sale of a plot of land situated in village Bahapur, Okhla Crossing, Ishwar Nagar, Mathura Road, by forging the 'will' and 'death certificate' of the owner of the property. He was arrested on 7th April, 2004 and placed under suspension on 12th April, 2004. On completion of investigation, charge sheet against him was filed in the court of Metropolitan Magistrate, Patiala House, New Delhi on 10th June, 2004.

Revival of Kolar Gold fields

*125! SHRI K.B. KRISHNA MURTHY: Will the Minister of COAL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to revive Kolar Gold fields in Karnataka;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) how many employees have already taken VRS in the above unit;

(d) when the revival is expected to take place; and

(e) the estimated cost for such revival?